

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry political ad under the guise of being a news documentary, days before the election, is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation. I ask that you do your job as agents of the public and stop this clear violation of election laws.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, this is what can and will continue to happen.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. I am concerned that this media conglomerate has the power to control and distort what I see, as well as 25% of the American viewing public. This is a dangerous situation that must be dealt with immediately.

I ask again, that you do your job as agents of the public and protect my rights.

Thank you for your time and consideration.